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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hiroshi Miwa

Serial No.: 09/720,122

Filed: December 21, 2000

For: Glass Etching and Composition for Frosting

Using Same

Art Unit: 1731

Examiner: Vincent, Sean E.

Atty. Docket: 1001-0010

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENTS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2003, setting a three-month shortened statutory period for response. Response being due on or before December 10, 2003, it is believed that a two-month extension of time for response is necessary. Such extension of time is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), by the filing of the accompanying petition and petition fee.

Applicant respectfully requests that the above-captioned application be amended as indicated below.

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